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SUBJECT: EXPORT EXPANSION -- ROMANIAN REQUEST FOR ASSISTANCE

1. IN AN UNUSUAL APPROACH BY GOR OFFICIALS, FOREIGN OFFICE DIRECTOR DOBROIU CALLED IN ACTING DCM TO MAKE AN APPEAL FOR EMBASSY ASSISTANCE ON COMMERCIAL TRANSACTION. ISSUE CONCERNS DELIVERY OF AN ORDER FOR ROLLER BEARINGS GIVEN BY ROMANIAN FOREIGN TRADE COMPANY TEHNOIMPORT TO TIMKEN CO., 14 CANTON, OHIO (TEHNO ORDER NUMBER IS Y331222A; TIMKEN CONFIRMING NUMBER IS TR 1-029U). APPARENTLY NEED FOR THESE BEARINGS AT THE LARGE 23 AUGUST MACHINE TOOL AND LOCOMOTIVE COMPONENTS PLANT IN BUCHAREST IS ACUTE ENOUGH TO MOVE REQUEST UP TO FOREIGN OFFICE LEVEL. DOBROIU SAID THAT EVEN A PARTIAL DELIVERY OF 400 PIECES AS SOON AS POSSIBLE WOULD BE HELPFUL.

2. IN VIEW OF UNORTHODOX NATURE OF REQUEST, AND APPARENT HIGH LEVEL OF ROMANIAN INTEREST IN THIS PROJECT, WE REQUEST DEPARTMENT MAKE CONTACT WITH TIMKEN OFFICIALS WITH VIEW TO URGING EARLY AS POSSIBLE DELIVERY OF THIS ORDER. PLEASE ADVISE.  
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